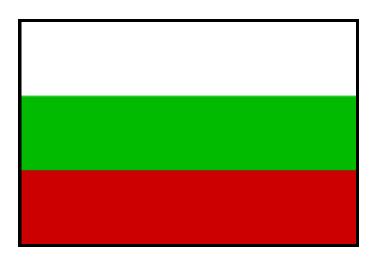


# FACTSHEET ON EMPLOYMENT IN BULGARIA



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# 1) Employment/ Unemployment

## 1.1 Employment Rate of Young People

	Sources	Year	%
Total rate of employment, age specific rate for 15-24 years old	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	23,20
Total rate of employment, age specific rate for 25-29 years old	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	68,30
Total rate of employment for men 15-24 years old	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	25,40
Total rate of employment for men 25-29 years old	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	75,40
Total rate of employment for women 15-24 years old	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	21,00
Total rate of employment for women 25-29 years old	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	60,80
Employment rate of under 25 years olds: year 2000	Eurostat	2006	19,70
Employment rate of under 25 years olds: year 2001	Eurostat	2006	19,80
Employment rate of under 25 years olds: year 2002	Eurostat	2006	19,40
Employment rate of 15-24 years olds: year 2003	Eurostat	2006	21,30
Employment rate of 15-24 years olds: year 2004	Eurostat	2006	22,30
Employment rate of 15-24 years olds: year 2005	Eurostat	2006	21,60
Employment rate of 15-24 years olds: year 2006	Eurostat	2006	23,20
Employment rate of 15-24 years olds: year 2007	Eurostat	2006	24,50
Activity rate, age range 15-24	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	28,90
(Activity rate = The economically active proportion of the working age population (aged 15–64) – i.e. that part of the population in employment or actively looking for a job.)			
Activity rates by time (12 months) since leaving continuous education for the first time	Eurostat (Data- Education & Training-Education-Youth transitions from education to working life in Europe)	-	

# 1.2 Sector of Employment, for age range 15-24

	Sources	Year	%
Sector of Employment, for age range 15-24: Legislators, senior officials and managers	<u>Eurostat</u>	2007 (1.quarter)	214,70 (1000 of persons)
Sector of Employment, for age range 15-24: Professionals	<u>Eurostat</u>	2007 (1.quarter)	400,10 (1000 of persons)
Sector of Employment, for age range 15-24: Technicians and associate professionals	Eurostat	2007 (1.quarter	310,70 (1000 of persons)
Sector of Employment, for age range 15-24: Clerks	<u>Eurostat</u>	2007 (1.quarter)	225,10 (1000 of persons)
Sector of Employment, for age range 15-24: Service workers and shop or market sale workers	Eurostat	2007 (1.quarter)	526,70 (1000 of persons)
Sector of Employment, for age range 15-24: Skilled agricultural and fishery workers	<u>Eurostat</u>	2007 (1.quarter)	156,10 (1000 of persons)
Sector of Employment, for age range 15-24: Craft and related trades workers	<u>Eurostat</u>	2007 (1.quarter)	512,60 (1000 of persons)
Sector of Employment, for age range 15-24: Plant and machines	Eurostat	2007 (1.quarter)	462,20 (1000 of persons)

Sector of Employment, for age range 15-24: Elementary occupations	<u>Eurostat</u>	2007 (1.quarter)	414,70 (1000 of persons)
Sector of Employment, for age range 15-24: Armed forces	<u>Eurostat</u>	2007 (1.quarter)	29,70 (1000 of persons)

# 1.3 Unemployment Rate of Young People

	Sources	Year	%
Total rate of unemployment of young people, age 15-24	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	19,50
Total rate of unemployment of young people, age 25-29	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	10,3
Total rate of unemployment, for men 15-24 years old	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	18,9
Total rate of unemployment, for men 25-29 years old	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	9,50
Total rate of unemployment, for women 15-24 years old	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	20,30
Total rate of unemployment, for women 25-29 years old	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	11,30
Unemployment rate of under 25 years olds: year 2000	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	33,70
Unemployment rate of under 25 years olds: year 2001	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	38,80
Unemployment rate of under 25 years olds: year 2002	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	37,00
Unemployment rate of under 25 years olds: year 2003	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	28,20
Unemployment rate of under 25 years olds: year 2004	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	25,80
Unemployment rate of under 25 years olds: year 2005	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	22,30
Unemployment rate of under 25 years olds: year 2006	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	19,50
Unemployment rate of under 25 years olds: year 2007	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	15,10
Long-term unemployment of young people, age range 15-24	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	41,40
Long term unemployment of young people, age range 25-29	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	49,00
Share of youth not in education, employment or training, age range 20-24, low education, total (1)	Employment in Europe	2006	68,00
Share of youth not in education, employment or training, age range 20-24, low education, men	Employment in Europe	2006	55,90
Share of youth not in education, employment or training, age range 20-24, low education, women	Employment in Europe	2006	81,20
Share of youth not in education, employment or training, age range 20-24, medium education, total	Employment in Europe	2006	19,80
Share of youth not in education, employment or training, age range 20-24, medium education, men	Employment in Europe	2006	18,90
Share of youth not in education, employment or training, age range 20-24, medium education, women	<u>Employment in Europe</u> 2007	2006	20,80
Share of youth not in education, employment or training, age range 20-24, high education, total	Employment in Europe	2006	23,30
Share of youth not in education, employment or training, age range 20-24, high education, men	Employment in Europe 2007	2006	-
Share of youth not in education, employment or training, age range 20-24, high education, women	Employment in Europe	2006	29,30

(1): ("Around 43% of 15–29 year olds who are inactive and not in education do not participate in the labour market because of taking care of children or other family members or because of other family responsibilities, the vast majority of them women. Another 43% of those inactive and not in education – most of them young males – are either discouraged by the labour market or name other reasons, with the rest being ill or suffering from a disability.") p. 37

# 2) Types and Quality of Employment

## 2.1 Type of Employment

Employment in Europe 2007 Eurostat Eurostat	2006 2007 (1.quarter) 2007	12,60 46,00 Percentage (%) of those who
	(1.quarter)	
Eurostat		Percentage (%) of those who
<u>Eurostat</u>	2007	could not find permanent job
	2007	-
	(1.quarter)	Percentage (%) of those who did not want permanent job
Eurostat	2007	-
	(1.quarter)	Percentage (%) of those who are in education or training
Eurostat	2007	37,20
	(1.quarter)	Percentage (%) of those who are in probationary period
Eurostat	2007	234,80 (1000 of persons)
	(1.quarter)	
Eurostat	2007	6,90 (1000 of persons)
<u>Eurostat</u>	2007	- Percentage (%) of those who could have other reasons
Eurostat	2007	-
		Percentage (%) of those who could not find a full-time work
<u>Eurostat</u>	2007	- Percentage (%) of those
		whose reason is own disability or illness
Eurostat	2007	-
		Percentage (%) of those
		whose reason is other
		personal or family responsibilities
Eurostat	2007	-
		Percentage (%) of those
		whose reason is looking for
		children or incapacitated adults
Eurostat	2007	-
		Percentage (%) of those who
		are in education or training
Eurostat	2007	-
<u>Eurostat</u>	2007	-
		Percentage (%), upper
		secondary and post-
		secondary non-tertiary education (Levels 3-4)
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		secondary and post-
		secondary non-tertiary
		education (Levels 3-4)
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# 3) Education

## 3.1 Educational Level

	Sources	Year	%
Percentages of the population aged 20 to 24 having	<u>Eurostat</u>	2007	83,30
completed at least secondary education			

#### 3.2 Early School-Leavers

	Sources	Year	%
Percentages of the population aged 18-24 with at most lower secondary education and not in further education	Gender inequalities in the risks of poverty and social exclusion for disadvantaged groups in thirty European countries, 2006 (Eurostat)	2004	21,40

## 3.3 Formal and non-formal learning

	Sources	Year	%
Percentage of people aged 25-34 who takes part of formal education	Eurostat	2005	3,90
Percentage of people aged 25-34 who takes part of non formal education	<u>Eurostat</u>	2005	2,70

#### 3.4 Support structures

Guidance and counselling for learning, career and employment	Annex 2
Support for entrepreneurship	Annex 3

#### **ANNEX 1 : APPRENTICENSHIP**

No data available.

#### ANNEX 2 : GUIDANCE AND COUNSELLING FOR LEARNING, CAREER AND **EMPLOYMENT**

No data available.

#### **ANNEX 3 : SUPPORT FOR ENTREPRENEURSHIP**